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"There are more men ennobled by reading than by nature."

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Seeing America First.

A tour to far-off foreign lands
Across the deep blue sea,
With moldy ruins on the side,
Does not appeal to me.

The great cities I will away
By haunted wood and hill,

For me the purple Palais,

And Hudson, fill the bill.

The Sphinx and Pyramids are great,
And very ancient, too.

With Arizona's cliffs, I bet.

What scenes we were new.

The poets rave of Italy.

To sunny summer wed,

But Florida, the U. S. A.,

Is several laps ahead.

Folks ramble up the Matterhorn,
And have first time to time,
But Mt. Washington may peak
Is just as hard to climb.

The Pompeian Coliseum

May make your pulses beat,

But have you ever gazed upon

A field of Kansas wheat?

From Maine to California,
From coast to coast, New Orleans,
America is full of grand,
Inspiring sights and scenes.

Some day perhaps I'll pack my grip,

In other lands to roam,

But not until I first have seen

God's country here at home.

Minna Irving in Leslie's Weekly.

THE OTHER GIRL

By M. Gauss.

Elizabeth Joyce was on her way with a party of fellow students to the Institute of Design.

"When get through my course," she said, "I mean to have the Essington prize. I don't say that in self-conceit—none of you will care to work for it as I shall. You know George Essington was my grandfather, and the whole family expect me to win." What Elizabeth wanted, she wanted with all her heart. "It would be cruel if I didn't get it! Surely I shall."

"I guess none of us will push you very hard," said her chum; "but some other girl may come in who'll want it as much as you do."

"How I shall hate her!" laughed Elizabeth. As Mazie stood on the corner, waiting for a motor-car to move on, she had overheard the talk. At the time she did not dream that she would be the other girl; she merely looked a little wistfully after the art students, as they took their trolley-car to the West End. At one time she had very much wanted to be a designer or an illustrator; but it had not been possible for her, and she found it very good, instead, to have work that brought in eight dollars a week to the family.

Mazie was never long cast down. After a disappointment, she could usually find something she liked as well as she liked what she had lost.

On that particular morning, there were a number of pleasant things to think about. The rest was paid from her wages; at the grocer's, the family credit was good.

That evening she was to go to a party; she had a new, pale blue frock, and Ray Hunt had sent her flowers to wear. It was spring; the uptown flower-shops gave forth odors of hyacinths and lilies. As the wind wrapped her skirt about her ankles, Mazie quickened her pace, and all but danced down the street. She was a pretty girl, small, slight, with hair almost the color of daffodils.

Her work lay in a dingy part of town—at the Pearl Laundry, where she answered the telephone, gave out packages, and prepared the statements.

At a little after eight o'clock that morning, she left the office to go to one of the workrooms. At an electric wringer stood a large, foreign girl, named Anna Lobensky, who wore a red calico shirtwaist, with old-fashioned, full sleeves. As Mazie passed by, one of those sleeves caught in the wringer, and she heard the girl cry out in Russian.

"Shut off the power, some one who knows!" Mazie cried, as she flew to the side of the girl in the red waist. She did not know just what happened; her small active fingers tore the cotton sleeve away in strips.

At last the Russian girl was free, and went staggering against the wall. Her face was almost as white as the wet sheets in the wringer; she was sobbing aloud, but unburst.

Mazie saw her white, bare arm, with shreds of red cotton clinging to it, and suddenly remembered about a girl at Mason's Laundry, whose arm had been torn off at the shoulder.

"Wait a moment, I feel sick." As Mazie spoke to the girls who crowded about her, she looked into the wringer, and saw a splash of

scarlet. "Why," she exclaimed, "it's blood!"

It was only red calico, wrung and twisted by the machine; but the sight of it made her feel very faint. As she tried to get away to fresh air, she found that a ruffle in the back of her gingham dress had become caught in the machine. She did not feel afraid; her first thought was that the ruffle would be torn, and she tried to release it gently.

Then came the sudden wrench, and great pain. She felt herself being drawn, struggling, into the flying iron thing. Girls were screaming, "Stop the current, oh, stop it!" But as before, none of them seemed to know how to do it. Just as a man found the switch and stopped the machine, Mazie fainted.

She suffered so much for the first few days that she did not realize what she had sacrificed for Anna Lobensky. But there came a day when she learned. As she was leaving the hospital, where everything possible had been done for her, she begged the surgeon to tell her the truth; and he did tell her, at last, that she could not hope to walk again.

After that, she sat alone awhile. Her window looked across a sunny lawn, where robins hopped round the sprinkler; she closed her eyes, for she could not bear to look at the little girls with their jumping-ropes.

If she could not have one thing, she had always before managed to be content with another; but this new sorrow was too much. Life seemed dark; she said over and over to herself, "If I could only die, instead!"

After while the nurse came to her, smiling. "Please go away and let me alone," said Mazie.

"But a lady wants to see you; she has something important to say."

"I don't want her in here." But after a moment Mazie relented. "Please tell her to come in."

The caller was blue-eyed, white-haired woman. "I'm Mrs. Hunter," she said. "An old teacher of yours called yesterday to tell me about you."

"About me? Oh, it's Miss Mead," Mazie smiled faintly.

"Yes. You see, every year I give away a scholarship at the School of Illustration. My daughter was there until—until she died. If you go out there to study, you'll see a picture she painted."

"If I go out there to study?"

"Miss Mead thought you'd like to," Mrs. Hunter laid her hands on Mazie's. "We feel—she and I—that you're going to get back what you gave up for another girl's sake. Maybe you'll do more work in the world than if you hadn't been hurt. Don't you want to try?"

Mazie lay a few minutes without answering, then opened her eyes suddenly, and smiled. "I'd like that ever so much. Thank you."

So it was that Mazie came to be the other girl who tried for Essington prize against Elizabeth Joyce. They were in different art schools, and had not met when the exhibition of student's work was held. In a little room across from the exhibition-hall a committee was deciding about the prize. Mazie sat in her wheel-chair. Although her back was badly twisted, her general health had not suffered—she had the same clear skin and thick, fair hair.

"Your picture is dear!" said the girl who pushed her chair. "But what made you think of doing a laundry-worker?"

"Oh, I don't know," Mazie replied, for she felt excited, and could not bear to talk of the contest.

"See that black-eyed girl, taking tea?" her friend went on. "She's Elizabeth Joyce; her grandfather gave the prize fund. I don't know whether she's trying or not. I shouldn't think so—a hundred and fifty dollars would be nothing to her."

I hope you win. The magazines always buy the prize pictures; you'd get another hundred and fifty that way; and if you win, you'll have all the pupils you can take."

A shadow crossed Mazie's face—the shadow of the rent-collector and the grocer. For three years she had earned nothing. She knew that the people at home were beginning to feel that she could not earn anything with her art work. Suddenly she laughed, oddly. "Now, Jo Meredith, I want the prize enough, as it is. Don't make it harder for

me when I'm left." She choked, and laughed again.

Her chair was near the tea-table. She saw young Mr. Joyce come up, and Elizabeth spring eagerly to her feet.

"Well Bess," he said, "I have inside news for you. The committee have got it down to two pictures, and one is 'The Satin Gown'."

As he mentioned her picture, Elizabeth squeezed his hand. Of course none of them know who did the work. Amman told me he never

saw better painting of a fabric than in that picture. The other piece is by some one who goes to School of Illustration."

It was too much eavesdropping, Mazie was too much excited to realize it. She listened; and for an instant the room seemed dark. Then Mr. Joyce finished: "It's a picture called 'The Laundry-Worker'."

"Oh, did you hear that?" Jo Meredith whispered, as she pushed the chair away.

Elizabeth Joyce had laid a cold hand on her brother's. Her voice was quick and sharp. "Surely I'll win! The prize can't go to that other girl! It would be too hard!"

As Mazie was taken from the hall, she sighed and laughed. "I was wondering who did that 'Satin Gown,' and if she cares as much as I do. Jo, please pick up that flower!"

Jo took a daffodil from the sidewalk. Its stem was broken, and its yellow head hung down. "What do you want it for? A mascot?"

"Oh, no. I just felt that it would like to be of some use, if it is a kiss you."—*Youth's Companion*.

The little shop was quiet, but over the wire came a sound of cheering. "Please tell them not to shout so at your end," Lucile said, and things grew more quiet at the School of Illustration, blocks away.

Lucile went on, in her high, clear voice: "I didn't get what you told me. Mr. Amman liked the drapery in 'The Satan Gown'—I understood that. And so it took the prize? Oh, I see! I misunderstood." She dropped the receiver.

And Mazie knew by the look on her sister's face that "The Laundry-Worker" had won. They looked at each other a moment, and then Mazie's head went down on the arm of her chair, and she sobbed for joy.

At the reception that the art schools gave to Mazie afterward, a tall, dark-eyed girl came up to her.

"I'm Elizabeth Joyce," she said. "I painted 'The Satin Gown.' But your picture is far, far better than mine. You see, I had tried four years for that prize."

"Oh!" said Mazie, softly.

And you can imagine I wanted it for myself—at one time." Elizabeth's dark eyes were shining; not many hours before, she had heard Mazie's story—all about Anna Lobensky, all about the long, brave struggle at the art school.

"I'm glad now," she said, "that the prize went to your picture, not mine; and I came to shake hands with you, but perhaps you'll let me kiss you."—*Youth's Companion*.

SHE WAS LOYAL.

During the war between the states Miss N., a high spirited Virginia young lady, whose father, a Confederate soldier, had been taken prisoner by the Union forces, was desirous of obtaining a pass which would enable her to visit him.

Francis P. Blair agreed to obtain an audience with the President, but warned his young but rather impulsive friend to be prudent and not betray her sympathy for the South.

They were ushered into the presence of Mr. Lincoln, and the object for which they had come was stated. The tall, grave man bent down to the little maiden and looking searchingly into her face, said:

"You are loyal, of course?"

Her bright eyes flashed. She hesitated a moment, and then with a face eloquent with emotion and honest as his own, she replied:

"Yes, loyal to the heart's core—Virginia!"

Mr. Lincoln kept his intent gaze upon her for a moment longer, and then went to his desk, wrote a line or two and handed her the paper. With a bow the interview terminated.

When they had left the room Mr. Blair began to upbraid his young friend for her impetuosity.

"Now you have done it!" he said. "Didn't I warn you to be more careful? You have only yourself to blame."

Miss N. made no reply, but opened the paper. It contained these words:

Pass Miss N. She is an honest girl and can be trusted.

A. Lincoln.

CHURCH MISSION TO DEAF MUTES.

NEW YORK DISTRICT NOTICES

St. Ann's Church, N. Y. Every Sunday, 3 P.M. November 2d and 16th, 9 A.M. Holy Communion, November 2d, 3 P.M., and 16th, 9 A.M.

St. Mark's Church, Brooklyn. Every Sunday, 3 P.M. Holy Communion, November 30th.

NOVEMBER

9—St. Peter's Church, Port Chester, 10:30 A.M. Gallaudet Home 10:30 A.M. Holy Communion.

16—Trinity Church, Newark, N. J., 3 P.M., Holy Communion.

23—St. Peter's Church, Port Chester 10:30 A.M., Holy Communion.

27—Thanksgiving Day. St. Ann's Church, N. Y., 10:30 A.M. Holy Communion.

30—Gallaudet Home, 10:30 A.M. St. George's Church, Newburgh, 3:30 P.M.

November

1—St. Peter's Church, Port Chester, 10:30 A.M.

Gallaudet Home 10:30 A.M. Holy Communion.

8—St. Peter's Church, Port Chester, 10:30 A.M. Holy Communion.

15—St. Peter's Church, Port Chester, 10:30 A.M. Holy Communion.

22—St. Peter's Church, Port Chester, 10:30 A.M. Holy Communion.

29—St. Peter's Church, Port Chester, 10:30 A.M. Holy Communion.

December

5—St. Peter's Church, Port Chester, 10:30 A.M. Holy Communion.

Gallaudet Home 10:30 A.M. Holy Communion.

12—St. Peter's Church, Port Chester, 10:30 A.M. Holy Communion.

19—St. Peter's Church, Port Chester, 10:30 A.M. Holy Communion.

26—St. Peter's Church, Port Chester, 10:30 A.M. Holy Communion.

33—St. Peter's Church, Port Chester, 10:30 A.M. Holy Communion.

January

6—St. Peter's Church, Port Chester, 10:30 A.M. Holy Communion.

Gallaudet Home 10:30 A.M. Holy Communion.

13—St. Peter's Church, Port Chester, 10:30 A.M. Holy Communion.

20—St. Peter's Church, Port Chester, 10:

NEW YORK.

News items for this column, should be sent direct to the DEAF-MUTES' JOURNAL Station M, New York.

A few words of information in a letter or on a postal card is sufficient. We will do the rest.

There were two deaf-mute Democratic meetings under the auspices of the deaf of Greater New York, on Saturday evening, November 1st. One was held at the Yorkville Casino. At this meeting Mr. John F. O'Brien presided.

Several prominent Democratic orators spoke, and Dr. Enoch H. Currier, Principal of the New York Institution for the Deaf interpreted the addresses. The principal speaker at this meeting was Hon. Ed. E. McCall, the candidate for Mayor on the Democratic ticket. At the conclusion of the meeting in a room downstairs, refreshments were served to all who cared to partake of same.

The second meeting was at Saengerbund Hall, Schermerhorn and Smith Streets, Brooklyn. Here the meeting was presided over by Mr. John D. Shea. This meeting was greatly increased by the attendance of the Brooklyn Frats, who on that evening were holding a regular Fraternity meeting, and after adjournment attended in a body.

At the Brooklyn Division No 23, N. F. S. D., meeting last Saturday, there was almost a full attendance, and the most important part of the business was the presentation of twelve (12) applications being considered and passed. Too numerous to mention their names. Nominations followed immediately after, and runs as follows:

For President, Bro. Shea and Bro. Bowers. For Vice-President, Bro. Powell, Bro. A Berg and Bro. Rosenthal. For Secretary, Bro. Labin and Bro. Cosgrove. For Treasurer, Bro. Eeka, Bro. M. Auerback and Bro. E. Berg. For Director, Bro. Fluh and Bro. Jaynes. For Sergeant-at-Arms, Bro. H. Hanneman and Bro. Taylor. For Board of Trustees for one year, Bro. Pach and Bro. Lounsbury.

Bro. J. Seelig, Chairman of the Ball Committee, desires to announce that Bryant Hall, situated at Sixth Avenue, between 41st and 42d Street, was engaged for the convenience of the deaf people in general, as it is located in the centre of the great metropolis, where all the people from nearly towns can easily reach the place by the subways and L trains at 42d Street. He also stated that the ball will be run on an extensive scale and greater than ever.

Memorial Sunday, as the Subway nearest to All Saints' Day is observed at St. Ann's, brought many from near and far to the little church in 148th Street. Rev. Dr. Chamberlain, assisted by Rev. Mr. Keiser, celebrated the Holy Communion. Dr. Chamberlain preached an inspiring sermon, in the course of which he mentioned by name, the great benefactors of the deaf: The Abbe de l'Epee, Abbe Sicard, Thomas Hopkins Gallaudet, Laurent Clerc, Dr. Harvey P. Peet, Dr. Isaac L. Peet, Rev. Job Turner, Rev. Thomas Gallaudet, Rev. A. W. Mann, Dr. F. D. Clarke, and others. The list grows year by year, but the loyalty of the deaf clings more to the great names associated with the early beginnings of education for the deaf. The choir, led by Miss Alice Judge, was at its best. After the service, the flowers on the altar were taken to Mrs. Fosmire, who is recovering from an operation. The congregation lingered in the Guild House for a while before dispersing.

Hallowe'en was celebrated at St. Ann's according to all the intricate ceremony and rite that has vested this ancient festival with a modicum of solemnity and a plenitude of hilarity. The youngsters vied with their elders in cutting capers, and all together everybody had a jolly time. The Guild Room decorations were Jack O'Lanterns, orange and black festoons, grinning skulls, the familiar witch and her black cat. Apples were plentiful, and a delicious Hallowe'en cake was cut and served late in the evening. There came a ghost dance with Messrs. Keith W. Morris in the lead, and trailing after him, Miss Matilda Cox, Miss Enrich, Miss Klaus, Messrs. Wiemuth, Anfort, Greene and others. It was nearly twelve when Sexton Dobbs turned off the light, and shunted the merrymakers out into the night.

Mrs. Stolowitz gave a surprise party to her husband at their home home on Sunday, November 2d. It was also in honor of their youngest son, Harold. A very pleasant evening was spent. Supper was served. Among those present were: Mr. Louis Blumenthal, Miss Tessie Jacobs, Mr. Isidore Blumenthal, Mr. J. Goldstein, Mr. and Mrs. Woik and their children, Mr. Grossman, Miss Koplowitz, Miss B. Levitt, Miss Prager, Mr. and Mrs. Kissberg and children, Mr. and Mrs. Brown and children, Mr. M. New-

field and several others which the writer has forgotten their names. Many useful presents were received. Mrs. Stolowitz would have invited Mrs. Hyman, Mr. and Mrs. C. Barnes, Mr. Ginzler, but she did not know their addresses.

Miss Nesbitt, a teacher and Supervisor of the Primary Department, retired after thirty years of teaching the Deaf, at the 67th Street School, last June.

She was presented many handsome presents, by the teachers and the Board of the Trustees. Miss Summers also retired last year, after the 28th year of teaching. They both receive pensions for the remainder of their lives. Most of the members of the D. M. U. L. had been their pupils when they were small.

Last Sunday's issue of *The Evening Telegram*, the only local afternoon paper issued on the last day of the week, was eagerly taken up by the populace interested in the hot mayoralty campaign raging. At the 157th Street downtown subway entrance, a quartet of deaf "newies" who attend the 23d Street Public School, have a sort of monopoly of the corner. The leader says his profits run to as high as two dollars and fifty cents on some days. They can all "read the lips," but the "signs" are there just the same.

The Xavier Centre of the Ephphat Society elected, at the annual meeting in October, the following officers: Moderator, Rev. M. R. McCarthy, S.J.; President, Joseph H. Knopp; Vice-President, Miss Nora Joyce; Second Vice-President, Thomas Tighe; Secretary, Hugo Schmidt; Treasurer, S. J. Fogarty. Members of Executive Committee: Miss Teresa McCarthy, Miss Anna Ryan, Miss Katherine Murray, John Kleckers, J. F. O'Brien.

Father McCarthy's absence from St. Francis Xavier's was ably filled, November 2d, by Mr. Arthur F. Quinn, St. Joseph Seminarian. His sermon on the gospel of the day, "The Stilling of the Tempest," was a fine effort, and greatly appreciated by the fair-sized gathering of deaf present.

Mr. Charles Spiegel, is now in Monticello, N. Y., to remain for good, as he has gotten a good and steady job there, and he prefers there to New York, as the air has benefited his ill health, and he was sick when he left New York, for the Catskill Mountains, last July.

Thursday last, Mrs. Anthony Capelli was taken home from St. Luke's Hospital, where she had been undergoing treatment for hurts received a month ago, by being run down by an automobile. She is far from well yet, and it may be many months before her hitherto sturdy strength is restored.

Hugo Schmidt is giving a slice of his spare evenings to bring out the Xavier Silent Five. Captain Boyan retains his title, with Leo Nelson, Reddy Nuncio and Johnny Iberg making the quintet. Several other members of the club are practicing, and hope to fill in when a substitution is called for.

Robert B. Maginnis was hurt by the breaking of a ladder, during a fire drill of the firemen of Sound Beach. He is a member of the company, and was underneath the ladder when it broke and badly bruised his foot. He now gets about on crutches.

Chas J. LeClerc had both hands extensively scorched and blistered, by the explosion of some chemical compound he was using, in the photo-engraving plant where he is employed. The bandages are off, and his hands will soon be all right again.

Mr. Laban McSpedon, whom many of his friends haven't seen for more than three years, is again in New York, after having been in Brewster, N. Y., where he has employed in the State Department of Water Supply. He is now working in the Elsworth Press.

For your edification and that of others who may wish to be enlightened, Mr. Marcus L. Kenner will ably discourse on "Life Insurance," at the Xavier Club, November 19th.

Mr. Robert Fischel continues his stay at Hunter, N. Y., and is exercising to prepare to run a marathon race next November.

Mrs. A. W. Mann, of Cleveland, O., has been the guest of Rev. Dr. Chamberlain the past week.

Mrs. Chamberlain and her daughter, Adelaide, have returned home from a short stay in Vermont.

Lutheran Mission

St. Matthew's Lutheran Church for the deaf. Services in the sign-language in the church, corner Elizabeth and Broome Streets, every Sunday at 3 P.M.

ARTHUR BOLL, Pastor

The United States spends \$15,000,000 a year to see base-ball games.

OHIO.

[News items for this column may be sent to our Ohio News Bureau, care of Mr. A. B. Greener, 993 Franklin Ave., Columbus, O.]

Nov. 1, 1913.—The sequel to Miss Annie Rodman's sudden and unexpected resignation from the state bindery, a couple of weeks ago, is out. She now goes under another name. Last Friday she left the Buckeye State, journeying down to the wilds of Arkansas, and on Sunday was married to Mr. A. W. Martin of the Colored School in connection with the one for whites in Little Rock. Mr. Martin is Principal of the School, and last June his wife, who was matron, died, so we presume his new bride will take her place. We extend congratulations and best wishes to Mrs. Martin. Mr. Martin attended the reunion, and no doubt the "Will you be mine?" was answered in the affirmative at that time, and is the first wedding as a result of the meeting.

Mr. Orson Archibald, of Indiana, who has offered the deaf of that State a farm of 80 acres, for a Home for aged and infirm deaf, on condition that they raise \$10,000 within ten years, has supplemented his already generosity by adding 20 acres—making the total 100 acres if they, the deaf of the state, will raise the \$10,000 in three years. That's certainly a fine offer, and should urge on our Hoosier friends to win the prize. During the vacation Mr. Archibald himself was busy working to increase the fund, by attending and lending assistance at socials and conference to workers. Pupils were given subscription books to collect funds among their friends at home during vacation and as a result they brought back \$320. From other sources the total collected since May 22, 1913, amounted to \$837.16, and the total fund credited to the Home to date has reached \$3,393.46. At the rate they are going, the deaf of Indiana seem certain to own Mr. Archibald's gift of 100 acres in three years, provided they keep up their enthusiasm and work as they have thus far done. We are in for Mr. Archibald being the defeated one in this case.

Mr. and Mrs. George Clum were at the Home Sunday, the former gave the service to the residents in the afternoon. He went up again the middle of the week, and assisted in husking corn, a good crop of which was raised the past season. The husking will be completed in a few days.

Chester B. Hoffman, of Mingo Junction, Ohio, who took a course as linotype-setter in a Chicago school and secured later a position in an office near Chicago, Illinois, has given the latter up. It was night work and it did not agree with him. He visited here for several days, and his friends were glad to meet him and wish him success. He has several offers, one near his home, which he will take, and later when more experienced hopes to secure a "sit" in a Cleveland, Ohio, office.

The Advance society held its October meeting Tuesday evening, but there was so little business that the time was spent in debating the question: "Should bonds for flood protection be issued?" which is an issue in the Municipal election to be held Tuesday. \$8,500,000 is the amount to be spent. The Advance members spoke pro and con on the matter, and the decision reached was against it.

The Ohio Branch of the Gallaudet Alumni Association held a meeting in the parlor of the school last evening. There were ten members present with three visitors, making the unlucky number thirteen. As it was Hallowe'en, evidence of the occasion was shown on the president's stand, having upon it three pumpkin heads with googling eyes and grinning teeth. Regular business first received attention, among which was Gallaudet Day exercises. President Hall, of Gallaudet College, has been secured to deliver an address on that day here. Appropriate for the occasion, the rest of the evening was spent in telling stories. Mr. McGregor told of the Scotch beliefs on "Three Elves," Mr. Schory of Field's "Seeing things on that night," and Mr. Charles gave weird ghost story. Next an invitation to "members and guests to tell in pantomime what you like to do or succeed in." All responded and then to ascertain if their wish would come true or not, each tried to land a ball in one of the pumpkins. Mr. Clum was the only lucky one. Marshmallows were passed around next as a solace to ill-luck, and while extracting their sweetness and forgetting evil omens, general talk was indulged in. The members present were Messrs. Robert Patterson, '70; R. P. McGregor, '72; A. B. Greener, '72; A. H. Schory, '81; C. W. Charles, '89; Wm. H. Zorn, '90; Miss Clara Lamson, 1900; Miss Ethel Zell, '02; Miss May Greener Normal, '96; Mr. A. W. Ohlemacher. The visitors were Miss Bessie Edgar and Messrs. Geo. Clum and Ernest Zell.

The Athletic Association has the following officers: President, Davy

Williams; Vice-President, Wm. Murphy; Secretary, Israel Crossen; Treasurer, M. Krohgold; Confectionery Mgr., F. Neal; Uniform keeper, C. Harris, Manager of First football and basket-ball team, A. W. Ohlemacher; Scorer, Harley Stottler. The second team played with the Westville College team last Saturday afternoon and came home victorious, 27 to 0.

The *Evening Dispatch* of yesterday had the following concerning a new pupil at the school here:

Starting to learn his A, B, C's at the age of 19 years proved too much for Lawrence Garrity, a mute of Houston, Shelby county, and within two weeks after his entrance as a pupil at the state school for the deaf and dumb, he was removed to his home, with a shattered mind.

Young Garrity came to Columbus with his brother, who entered him at the state institution. The boy had never attended school before, and unable to read or write. Before he had been at student for a week he broke a window in his room and escaped from the institution in his night clothing. He was found lately roaming the streets barefooted and returned to the school.

Again this week he made his escape, would insist upon removing his clothing in front of his teachers and otherwise conducting himself in a manner which caused alarm.

The brother was sent for and the boy was called in. With J. W. Jones, the superintendent of the school, a conference was held and a further examination of the lad was held. It was found that he was suffering from a mental breakdown, and he was taken to his home, where he will be given needed attention.

Mr. James H. Naylor has left Bryan, O., and returned to the home of his parents at Barnesville, R. I.

Mrs. Ella Zell returned Thursday, from Fort Wayne, Ind., where she had been visiting for some weeks with relatives. We are glad to state that her health is much improved.

A. B. G.

PITTSFIELD, MASS.

Mr. Daniel F. Murray has completed his work on Mr. Sears farm and taken a position in Taconic Woolen mill nights.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bedford, of this city Miss Eva Lanone, of Meriden, Ct., Messrs. Belouin and Gagnier, of North Adams, were the guests of the Sears, on October 4th.

Mrs. W. E. Marshall, of Washington, D. C., was the guest of her parents in Housatonic this summer. We see by last week's JOURNAL, she spent the summer there. Your scribe thought she was there only two weeks, as she was going to call on her, but found she had gone to Utica, N. Y.

Miss Ellen Tilton is staying with her sister, Mrs. S. Small, in Dalton, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Small spent Labor Day, as the guest of Mrs. Campbell in Schenectady, N. Y.

Miss Mary Dougherty, of Putnam, Ct., spent a pleasant week with Mrs. Edward last summer, and was at Gallaudet College for a while, and is an expert machinist in a New Bedford mill.

The bride has the best wishes and good will of all the deaf in Providence, who have long known and respected her.

After a brief honeymoon trip, Mr. and Mrs. Pierce will make their home in New Bedford. His shopmates presented the bride a set of silverware, knives, spoons, forks, etc., in a handsome plush-lined case, and the New Bedford deaf gave them a fine mantel clock.

PROVIDENCE.

Thomas Gasper has moved with his family from Shore Street to 40 Jenkins Street. Mr. Gasper had the great misfortune some two years ago to fall from a high staging while painting a house, and injured his right arm, so that it had to be amputated near the shoulder. An appeal to the Rhode Island Court for some compensation, resulted in nothing, as the man Mr. Gasper worked for died, leaving little or no estate.

Mr. and Mrs. John F. Lorimer have moved from Huntington Avenue to 64 Hillwood Street. Miss Nellie Green is boarding with them.

Mrs. Cora S. Kennedy, who makes her home with her brother, Mr. Walter F. Marks, recently called on Mr. W. P. Wisewell, Auburn, R. I., and found him unable to see any one and in feeble health. He is in his ninety-third year.

There are two organizations for the Providence deaf; one, the newly organized Division of Frats, of which Arthur J. Meyers is President and T. Ruckdeschel is Secretary; the other, the Four Leaf Clover Club, which is exclusively for ladies, no mere man ever under any circumstances being allowed around when they meet, and which is strongly suffragette in politics, we understand. The officers are President, Mrs. Wm. T. Morlock; Vice-President, Miss Edith Grant; Treasurer, Miss Edith Edwards; Secretary, Mrs. Grace Beauchesne.

This Division of the Frats has been but recently organized, part of its members living in Pawtucket and other nearby towns, but meeting here in Providence.

Old and young joined alike in the games which followed. Misses Soderberg, McAvoy and Ely individually gave some graceful exhibitions of Spanish dancing. Refreshments were then served, after which the tired but happy revellers left for the land of Nod.

Miss Mary Sheldon, who has been working as housemaid at the Toley Street home for orphans, for past two years, has left that place, and is now living in or near Greenwich, R. I.

Miss Grace Eaton, formerly of Haverhill, Mass., is working in a jewelry office, and boarding on Dudley Street, a nearby neighbor of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. T. Morlock.

The Clover Club went to visit their secretary, Mrs. Grace Beauchesne, at 16 Wesleyan Avenue, Monday evening, October 27th, and presented her with an imported Chinese tea urn of pretty shape and colors, as a token of their good will and affection, and also a wedding gift. Among those present were Mrs. Morlock, Misses Nellie Green, Edith Grant, Edna J. Edwards, Mrs. John Scott, Mrs. Lorimer, Miss Emily Bromley and Miss Grace Eaton.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Laing have recently moved from Hollis Street to 168 Whitehall Street.

Mr. Joseph C. Pierce, of New Bedford, and Mrs. Grace Beauchesne, of Providence, were married Wednesday afternoon, October 29th, in new Bedford, at the parsonage of a Congregational minister.

The bride was accompanied by her father, Principal Joseph Mowry, Principal of the Federal St. Grammar School and a graduate of Brown University, and by her sister, Mrs. Nettie Tiffany. The groom is a Hartford graduate, and was at Gallaudet College for a while, and is an expert machinist in a New Bedford mill.

The bride has the best wishes and good will of all the deaf in Providence, who have long known and respected her.

Miss Helen Keller gave a lecture, at the Methodist Church, the 10th of this month, and among the deaf who attended it were Mr. and Mrs. Bedford, Mrs. Powell, Mrs. Trainor, and Miss Goldie Peters. They were glad to meet him and wish him success.

Robert B. Maginnis was hurt by the breaking of a ladder, during a fire drill of the firemen of Sound Beach. He is a member of the company, and was underneath the ladder when it broke and badly bruised his foot. He now gets about on crutches.

Chas J. LeClerc had both hands extensively scorched and blistered, by the explosion of some chemical compound he was using, in the photo-engraving plant where he is employed. The bandages are off, and his hands will soon be all right again.

Mr. Laban McSpedon, whom many of his friends haven't seen for more than three years, is again in New York, after having been in Brewster, N. Y., where he has employed in the State Department of Water Supply. He is now working in the Elsworth Press.

For your edification and that of others who may wish to be enlightened, Mr. Marcus L. Kenner will ably discourse on "Life Insurance," at the Xavier Club, November 19th.

Mr. Robert Fischel continues his stay at Hunter, N. Y., and is exercising to prepare to run a marathon race next November.

Mrs. A. W. Mann

DEAF IMPOSTORS.

The arrest at Monaca on Wednesday of four young men who were posing as deaf-mutes and soliciting aid from the citizens of the place, with more or less success from a financial standpoint, should serve as a warning not only to the people of that town but to those of Beaver Falls and all other sections where men ask for money on the strength of being unable to hear or talk. There are a large number of impostors who pass themselves off as "deaf and dumb" now operating in all sections of the United States and Canada. Exchanges of the *Tribune* frequently contain stories of the arrest and exposure of these gentry, and it most generally follows that the real deaf-mutes of the place where the arrests take place are incensed at the imitators of their misfortune.

According to statistics collected by Jay Cooke Howard, Chairman of the impostor committee of the National Association of the Deaf, there are some 70,000 deaf-mutes in the United States. With some natural exceptions, they are an industrious, educated and law-abiding class of people. There are a number of these unfortunates in Beaver Falls, but they are not asking aid from any one. They are capable of earning their own living and they are doing it daily, even though doomed to go through the world without being able to hear or talk to their companions in toil who are more fortunate than they. They are seen very little by the public. The impostors, however, are everywhere, and bring themselves to the attention of everyone they can.

It is not unnatural that the public, seeing these supposed deaf-mutes begging, and rarely, if ever, seeing the real deaf-mutes, soon infers that all so afflicted are beggars. It is easy to appreciate what this attitude on the part of the public means to the hard-working and industrious deaf person temporarily out of a job.

It is safe to say that all persons begging and asking help "to acquire an education" are impostors, for there are free boarding schools for the deaf in every State in the Union. It is not infrequent that these impostors are "yeggs" who pretend to be "deaf and dumb" in order to get access to stores and offices without attracting undue attention, that they may locate a "plant" and later return and rob the place.

It is very easy to expose these impostors if one is familiar with the deaf. Any well-educated deaf person is in position to say at once whether or not one of these persons is actually deaf.

The only safe way for a person to act when approached by a beggar who claims to be deaf and dumb, is to turn him over to the police that his case may be investigated. In almost every community there is some well educated deaf person who could be called in to assist in the investigation. At least such is the case in Beaver Falls, and people here should refuse alms to those applying for aid on this ground until they are certain that the solicitors are worthy, which in most cases they are not.—*Beaver Falls, Pa., Tribune, October 10, 1913.*

Catholic Church Notices.

St. Francis Xavier's, 30 West 16th Street—Instruction and Services in the College Hall, at 3:30 P.M., on the first and third Sundays of the month.

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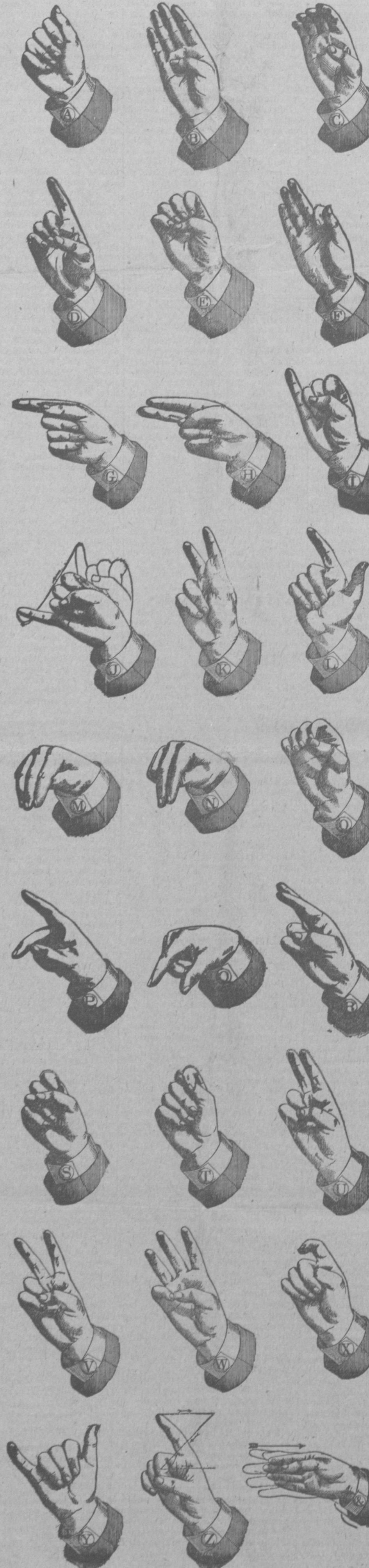
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